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UNDER THE PATENT COOPERATION TREATY-CHAPTER II  
5 **AMENDMENT "A" PRIOR TO ACTION AND SUBMISSION OF**  
**SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION**

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SOURCE FOR THE GENERATION OF ACOUSTIC WAVES"

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Sir:

Applicant herewith amends the above-referenced PCT application as follows, and request entry of the Amendment prior to examination in the  
20 United States National Examination Phase.